



Attorney Docket No. 0131-1

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: David J. Alverson, et al. Group Art Unit: 3623
Serial No.: 10/634,504 Examiner: Peter H. Choi
Filed: August 5, 2003
For: **CONTRACTOR CERTIFICATION SYSTEM**
Docket No.: 0131-1

Bedminster, N.J. 07921
March 7, 2005

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

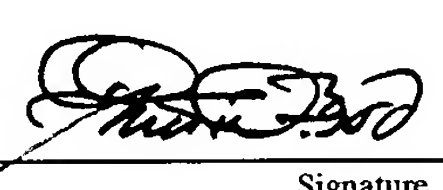
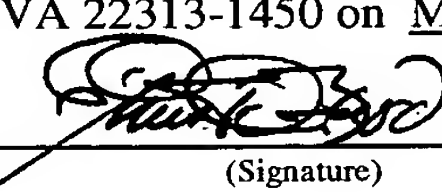
AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

In response to the Office Action dated December 7, 2004, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are set forth in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER				ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NO.: 0131-1		
SERIAL NUMBER: 10/634,504		FILING DATE: August 5, 2003		EXAMINER: Peter H. Choi		GROUP ART UNIT: 3623
INVENTION: CONTRACTOR CERTIFICATION SYSTEM						
INVENTOR(s): David J. Alverson, et al.						
TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.						
CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
(1)	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3)	(4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) NO. OF EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	11	MINUS	20	0	X \$25	0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	1	MINUS	3	0	X \$100	0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 0.00
<p>* If the entry in column 2 is less than the entry in column 4, write "0" in column 5.</p> <p>** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.</p> <p>*** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Charge \$ _____ to Deposit Account No. _____. A triplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The undersigned petitions for any extension of time for filing this document required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 and submits a check for \$ _____ to cover the extension fee _____.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Applicants hereby claim small entity status.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 01-1125</p>						
<u>March 7, 2005</u> Date			 Signature			
<u>(908) 901-0220</u> Phone			<u>Ernest D. Buff</u> Attorney Name			
<u>25,833</u> Reg. Number			<u>25,833</u> Reg. Number			
<p>I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on <u>March 7, 2005</u>.</p>						
 (Signature)			<u>Ernest D. Buff</u> Attorney of Record			
<u>March 7, 2005</u> (Date)			<u>March 7, 2005</u> (Date)			